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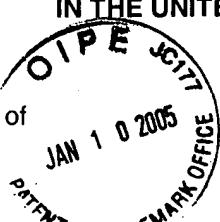
Serial No. 10/036,500

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Title: AN ELECTROSURGICAL SYSTEM AND METHOD

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## RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

 Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

## Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment	11	minus highest number			
previously paid for	47	(at least 20) =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ 0.00

Independent claims after amendment	0	minus highest number			
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If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
\$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this  
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One Month Extension	\$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)
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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add	\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$
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Applicant claims "small entity" status.  Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee	\$180.00 (1806) \$
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Assignment Recording Fee	\$40.00 (8021) \$
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